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TO : Colonel Beerli

DATE: 18 August 1961

FROM : Mr. Cunningham

SUBJECT: IFF on OXCART Vehicle

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My notes from the last OXCART meeting reminded me that the subject of IFF in the OXCART vehicle came up as an outgrowth of our discussions on the refueling beacon for the APN-59. I am unclear who is handling this; i.e., [REDACTED] DB, or who. Even though this would add only a few pounds to the total weight of the bird, and even though it is not a long lead time item, Kelly Johnson is inclined to have smothering spells over equipment inputs and decisions regarding their installation which are made without his knowledge. You may wish to put this in your little black book and assign action as you see fit.

CC: C/DB, C/SPB

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